



Hundredth Legislature - Second Session - 2008
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 935

Chairperson: Brad Ashford
Committee: Judiciary
Date of Hearing: February 6, 2008

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 935 is a product of the Nebraska Supreme Court Committee on Practice and Procedure as part of its on-going efforts on behalf of the Court to establish electronic discovery and electronic service rules within the Nebraska court system as is found in the federal system. Electronic discovery is often preferred to traditional paper-based discovery in that it is typically less expensive and can be processed or exchanged more quickly.

Section 1 of LB 935 provides the Nebraska Supreme Court with the authority to establish within the Court's Rules of Pleadings in Civil Cases specific rules regarding service of documents. Such a rule would govern pleadings, discovery, notices, orders, and any other documents required to be served in a civil case. The Committee has rules ready for adoption if this bill becomes law.

Sections 2 and 3 of LB 935 are technical amendments to related statutes that were added by the Revisor's Office.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Brad Ashford